

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name Activated Charcoal

CAS number 7440-44-0

Synonyms Activated carbon

# 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses Laboratory chemicals.

#### **1.3** Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Lab Alley, LLC 12501 Pauls Valley Road Austin, Texas 78737 U.S.A.
Telephone	512-668-9918
Fax	512-886-4008

#### **1.4 Emergency telephone**

Emergency Phone #	US & Canada: 1-800-535-5053	INFOTRAC
	International 1-352-323-3500	INFOTRAC

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Self-heating Substances and Mixtures	Category 2
Combustible Dust	Yes

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram	
Signal Word	Warning
Hazard statements	May form combustible dust concentrations in air. Self-heating in large quantities; may catch fire.
Precautionary statements	Prevention: Keep cool. Protect from sunlight. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
	Storage: Maintain air gap between stacks/pallets. Store away from other materials. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

# **2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS** None identified.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Components

Chemical name Common name and synonyms		CAS number	Concentration
Activated charcoal	Activated carbon	7440-44-0	>95%

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1 Description of first-aid measures

#### General advice

lf inhaled	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
In case of skin contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
In case of eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
If swallowed	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

# **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** None reasonably foreseeable.

**4.3** Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed If symptoms persist, call a physician. Treat symptomatically.

#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	Water spray, Carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam. Water mist maybe used to cool closed containers.				
Unsuitable extinguishing media	No information available.				

#### 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Containers may explode when heated. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite. Self-heating; exposure to air may cause substance to self-heat without an energy supply. Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### 5.3 Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 5.4 Further information

Flash PointNo information available.

Autoignition Temperature No information available.

#### **Explosion limits**

NFPA	to Static Discharg	Je		ie.
-	to Static Discharg	Je		ie.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge		No information availab		
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact		No information availab	le.	
Lower No data available.				
Upper	Jpper No data available.			

Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical hazards
1	3	0	N/A

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 2 for full list of hazard and precaution statements.

#### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Precautions on safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

#### **Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Storage conditions**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame. Keep away from oxidizing agents. Keep at temperatures below 50°C.

#### Incompatibilities

Strong oxidizing agents.

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1 Occupational exposure limits

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

#### Personal protective equipment

#### **Eye/face protection**

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

#### Skin protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

#### **Body Protection**

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

#### **Respiratory protection**

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

#### Control of environmental exposure

No information available.

#### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Appearance Odor Odor Threshold pH Melting Point/Range Boiling Point/Range Evaporation Rate Flammability (solid) Flammability or explosive limit Upper	Solid powder Black Odorless No information available No information available 3652 °C / 6605.6 °F No information available Not applicable No information available No data available
Lower Vapor Pressure Vapor Density Density Solubility Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water Autoignition Temp Decomposition Temp Viscosity Molecular Formula	No information available Not applicable No information available Insoluble No data available Not applicable Not applicable C

Molecular Weight12VOC Content(%)No information availableOxidizing propertiesNo information available

#### 9.2 Other safety information

No information available.

#### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Reactive hazard.

**10.2 Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions.

#### **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces, and sources of ignition.

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

#### **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### **Product Information, Component Information**

#### Acute toxicity

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Activated charcoal	>10000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No information available.

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No information available.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No information available.

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.

#### Carcinogenicity

Component	CAS	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Activated charcoal	7440-44-0	Not listed				

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

None known.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure None known.

**Reproductive toxicity** 

No information available.

#### Chronic effects

No information available.

#### **11.2 Additional Information**

The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1 Toxicity

No information available.

- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** Insoluble in water.
- **12.3 Bio accumulative potential** No information available.

## **12.4 Mobility in soil** Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** No information available.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties** No information available.
- 12.7 Other adverse effects

No information available.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste Disposal Methods

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

# SECTION 14: Transport information DOT (US) Not regulated. IMDG Not regulated.

IATA Not regulated.

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

> TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D) Not applicable.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4) Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053) Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance Not listed.

> SARA 311/312 Hazardous See Section 2 for more information.

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

#### Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List Not regulated. Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130) Not regulated.

# Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

# FEMA Priority Substances Respiratory Health and Safety in the Flavor Manufacturing Workplace

Not listed.

#### **US state regulations**

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not listed.

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act Not listed.

US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law Not listed.

**California Proposition 65** 

Not listed.

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

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#### **SECTION 17: Disclaimer**

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